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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(c)**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, §1.97 and §1.98, the Applicants submit for consideration in the above-identified patent application the document listed on the accompanying Form SB08A/B. Copies of references numbered 28-39 are submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record. The remaining references are not attached hereto, because these references are issued patents or publications which are readily available in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) as it is after receipt of a first Office Action on the merits but before mailing of a final Action or Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, a fee is required pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(p). A Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission.

Applicant notes that the U.S. Patent Documents, Foreign Patent Documents and Non Patent Literature cited in the attached Form SB08A/B are all from co-owned application 10/805,424, for which a double patenting rejection was overcome in the present application with a terminal disclaimer dated March 15, 2006. Applicant presumes that the Examiner is

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aware of and has already reviewed the prosecution history and references in application No. 10/805,424, due to the double patenting rejection. Nevertheless, Applicant is submitting the prosecution history and references from application No. 10/805,424, for the record and the Examiner's convenience. Applicant further presumes that the Examiner has access to and will continue to review applications 10/805,424, for any further office actions, amendments or other materials that may be relevant to the patentability of the claims of the present application.

Applicants would appreciate the Examiner initialing and returning the Form SB08A/B, indicating that the information has been considered and made of record herein.

The information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement is to the best of my knowledge and is not to be construed as a representation that: (i) a complete search has been made; (ii) additional information material to the examination of this application does not exist; (iii) the information, protocols, results and the like reported by third parties are accurate or enabling; or (iv) the above information constitutes prior art to the subject invention.

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